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In the Patent Application of

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Serial No. 09/543,011

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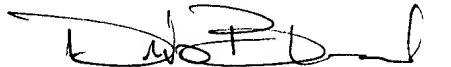
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Official Action mailed on April 24, 2001 (Paper No. 2), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 6, add new claims 21 to 30, and amend the claims as shown in the Appendix. The claims as amended are presented immediately herebelow.

1. (amended) A frame kit for an IC card, comprising:  
 a frame for defining an internal space of an IC card;  
 a first panel integrated with the frame and having a first locking member which includes a portion that is implanted and held in the frame, where a front end of the first locking member projects out from the implanted portion